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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: OVIP (MONDALE, WALTER F.) WB GW US
SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT'S VISIT: GENSCHER WILL
ACCOMPANY VICE PRESIDENT TO VIEW BERLIN WALL

REFS: (A) STATE 15022; (B) USBER 236

1. WE HAVE SPOKEN TO THE GERMANS ABOUT GENSCHER'S
ACCOMPANYING THE VICE PRESIDENT ON HIS VISIT TO THE
WALL ALONG THE LINES OF REFTELS, BUT IN ACCORDANCE
WITH INSTRUCTIONS LEFT THE DECISION TO GENSCHER.
THE FOREIGN OFFICE (KINKEL) HAS NOW INFORMED US
THAT GENSCHER WILL ACCOMPANY THE VICE PRESIDENT.

2. KINKEL TOLD US THAT THE PRINCIPAL REASON FOR THE
DECISION WAS DOMESTIC POLITICS. AFTER RECENT
DEVELOPMENTS, INCLUDING PROTESTS OVER GENSCHER'S
PRESENCE IN BERLIN, SOME OF THE PRESS WOULD HAVE
CLAIMED THAT GENSCHER AND THE ALLIES WERE KNUCKLING
UNDER TO PRESSURES FROM THE EAST IF HE DID NOT
PARTICIPATE IN THIS PART OF THE BERLIN PROGRAM.
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